

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L THE HAGUE 4174

E.O. 11652: NGDS  
TAGS: PORG, UN, US, NI, SF  
SUBJ: WORLD CONFERENCE FOR ACTION AGAINST APARTHEID

REF: THE HAGUE 3917

AT PRESS CONFERENCE AUGUST 16 MFA STATE SECRETARY KOOINKANS  
STATED THAT THE NETHERLANDS WILL SUPPORT A SECURITY COUNCIL  
BAN ON THE EXPORT OF ARMS TO SOUTH AFRICA AT LAGOS APARTHEID  
CONFERENCE. DR. KOOINMANS SAID THE DUTCH SUPPORT FOR A SECURITY  
COUNCIL ARMS EMBARGO WAS SHARED BY ONLY DENMARK AND IRELAND  
IN THE COMMUNITY. THE OTHER SIX EEC STATES WERE PREPARED  
TO HALT THEIR OWN ARMS SALES TO SOUTH AFRICA BUT WERE HESITANT  
ABOUT DECLARING THAT COUNTRY A THREAT TO INTERNATIONAL PEACE  
AND SECURITY, THE CRITERION FOR A SECURITY COUNCIL EMBARGO,  
HE TOLD THE PRESS CONFERENCE. THE STATE SECRETARY ADDED THAT  
HE HOPED THE CONFERENCE WOULD AGREE ON A FINAL DOCUMENT THAT  
WOULD PUT MAXIMUM PRESSURE ON SOUTH AFRICA TO ABOLISH THE APAR-  
THEID SYSTEM.  
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## Message Attributes

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